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TAGS: UNCTAD, UR, US

SUBJECT: ACTION MEMORANDUM - US-SOVIET CONSULTATIONS ON
UNCTAD IV (S/S NO.7608868)

FOR THE SECRETARY FROM LOWENSTEIN

1. THE PROBLEM

OVER THE LONG RUN, WE WANT TO ENCOURAGE MORE RESPONSIBLE SOVIET BEHAVIOR ON INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ISSUES. BY SHOWING OUR WILLINGNESS TO CONSULT WITH THEM ON THE FORTH-COMING UNCTAD MEETING, WE WOULD BE TAKING A STEP IN THAT DIRECTION. WE ALSO MIGHT GET SOME ADVANCE INDICATION OF WHAT THE SOVIETS INTEND TO DO AT THE MEETING. WE THEREFORE WANT TO INSTRUCT EMBASSY MOSCOW TO INITIATE AN EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON UNCTAD IV AT THE WORKING LEVEL OF THE MFA OR MFT, BEFORE THE SOVIET DELEGATION DEPARTS FOR NAIROBI. WE WOULD DESCRIBE OUR APPROACH TO THE CONFERENCE ALONG THE LINES WE HAVE ALREADY USED IN BRIEFING CONGRESS.

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2. RECOMMENDATION

THAT YOU AUTHORIZE US TO INSTRUCT EMBASSY MOSCOW TO
MAKE THE APPROACH DESCRIBED ABOVE.

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